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The reply brief filed September 29, 2003, has been entered and considered. The

application has been forwarded to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences for

decision on the appeal.

The reply brief includes a Request for Oral Hearing pursuant to 37 CFR §1.194 and

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